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HSI-NING ARMY BARRACKS AL 1

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Hsi-ning Army Barracks AL 1, Lan-chou MR, China

LOCATION:

Hsi-ning Army Barracks AL 1 is 5.0 nautical miles (nm) southeast of the center of Hsi-ning, on the north side

of Hsi-ming Airfield

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GENERAL:

The installation is part of the area connected with Hsining Airfield. It comprises about half of the area, the rest being used by the air force.

The exact boundaries of the army installation are impossible to determine. Track activity throughout the area indicates the possibility of common activities,

probably maintenance.

The physical layout of the army portion suggests the presence of a division headquarters with its support elements, and one regiment of three infantry battalions

and an attached organic artillery unit.

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Accuracy Statement:

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square meters to square feet was determined by the factor: 1 square meter equals 10.76 square feet.

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8 barracks #95-98,100, 101,105,106 4 barracks #107-110 (one with furnace house attached)

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Function/Description	Overall Meters	Dimensions Feet	Flo Sq Meters	orspace Sq Feet	
1 storage bldg #94 2 messhalls #93,112 2 latrines #92,111 3 basketball courts #99,102,104 Animal pen area #103] 25X1
Floorspace of Major Bui	ldings -	Area Ac			
Barracks Storage					25X1
Area Ba - Vehicle Stora	ge Area				
l vehicle storage bldg #89 l vehicle storage bldg #90 l vehicle storage bldg #91 2 admin/support bldgs [#87,88					25X1
Floorspace of Major Bui	ldings -	Area Ba			
Vehicle storage					25X1
Area Ca - General Stora	ge Area				
3 food storage bldgs #81,83,85 2 food storage bldgs #78,79 4 food storage bldgs #73,74,76,77 1 food storage bldg #86 2 minor support bldgs #80,82 2 animal pens areas #75,84					25X1
Floorspace of Major Bui	ldings -	Area Ca			
Food storage					25X1
Area Ra - HF Radio Site					_
4 radio operation and support bldgs #113- 116					
Floorspace of Major Bui	ldings -				25X1
Barracks Quarters/Barracks Probable Quarters Vehicle Storage Storage Food Storage					25X1

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Chronological Listing of Facility Changes, Vehicles and Equipment,* and Activity
Base Data
Floorspace of Major Buildings
Area <u>Aa</u>
Quarters/Barracks Probable Quarters Storage
Area <u>Ab</u>
Barracks Storage
Area <u>Ac</u>
Barracks
Area Ca
Food Storage
Installation
Barracks
Quarters/Barracks Probable Quarters Storage
Food Storage
Comments: Changes which have occurred within the installation from date of base coverage) (date of latest coverage) age) are listed as follows:
Area Aa - Billeting Area
2 Quarters/Barracks #8, 12 had been added. Furnace house #2 and minor support bldgs #18 and 19 had been added.
Area Ab - Billeting Area
Auditorium #28 had been added.
Area Ac - Billeting Area
4 barracks #107,108, 109, and 110 had been added. 1 storage building #94
2 messhalls #93&112 2 latrines #92&111, and animal pens #103 had been added.
Area Ba - Vehicle Storage Area
3 vehicle storage bldgs #89,90%91 had been added

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Chronological Listing of Facility Changes, Vehicles and Equipment,* and Activity Continued

Area Ca - General Storage Area

9 food storage bldgs #73,74,76-79,81,83,85 Minor support bldgs #80 &82 and animal pen area #75 had been added.

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These changes are reflected in the following chronology:

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CHIOHOTOGICAL DISTING OF FACILITY CHAIN	ges, Vehicles and Equipment,* and Activity
	Installation
<u>Facilities</u>	Barracks
Area Ab	Quarters/Barracks
Auditorium #28 had been added.	Prob Quarters
Area <u>Ba</u>	Vehicle Storage
Three vehicle storage bldgs #89,90, &91 had been added.	Storage
a)1 Had been daded.	Food Storage
Area <u>Ca</u>	
Two food storage bldgs #76&77 had been added. 392.0 sq m (4,218 sq ft)	
Vehicles and Equipment	
Small scale precluded identification.	
Activity	
None was observed.	
Floorspace of Major Buildings	
Area <u>Aa</u>	
Quarters/Barracks	
Prob Quarters	
Storage	
Area <u>Ab</u>	
Barracks	
storage	
Area Ac	
Barracks	
storage	
Area <u>Ba</u>	
Vehicle Storage	
Area Ca	

Chronological Listing of Facility Changes	Storage	
Facilities	Food Storage	
Area <u>Ca</u>		
Five food storage bldgs #78,79,81, 83,85 had been added.		
Vehicles and Equipment		
Small scale precluded identification.	-	
Activity		
Area <u>Ca</u>		
A number of small support buildings and scattered animal pens had been		
removed and were replaced by bldgs #78,79,81,83,85 and by animal pen	-	
area #75.		
Floorspace of Major Buildings		
Area <u>Aa</u>		
Quarters/Barracks		
Prob Quarters	:	
Storage		
Area Ab		
Barracks		
Storage		
Area <u>Ac</u>		
Barracks		
Storage		
Area Ca		
Food Storage		
Installation		
Barracks		
Quarters/Barracks		
Prob Barracks	F	